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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) No.
Plaintiff,)) <u>COUNT 1</u> :) DISTRIBUTION OF FENTANYL
VS.) RESULTING IN DEATH
JUNIOR GAFATASI TULALI,) Vio. of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1),) (b)(1)(C)
Defendant.)) ENHANCED STATUTORY
Defendant.) PENALTIES ALLEGATION
) 21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(A).

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT 1

Between on or about October 13, 2020, and October 17, 2020, within the District of Alaska and elsewhere, the defendant, JUNIOR GAFATASI TULALI, did knowingly

and intentionally distribute a controlled substance, to wit: N-phenyl-N- [1-(2-phenethyl)-4-piperidinyl] propenamide, commonly known as fentanyl.

DEATH RESULTING FROM THE DISTRIBUTION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

The following death resulted from the defendant, JUNIOR GAFATASI TULALI's, distribution of the above controlled substance:

Between on or about October 13, 2020, and October 17, 2020, the defendant, JUNIOR GAFATASI TULALI, knowingly and intentionally distributed the above-listed fentanyl to another person.

On or about October 28, 2020, use of the above-listed fentanyl resulted in the overdose death of J.L.

All of which is in violation of 21 U.S.C. \S 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(C).

ENHANCED STATUTORY PENALTIES ALLEGATION

Before the defendant, JUNIOR GAFATASI TULALI, committed the offense charged in Count 1, he had a final conviction for a serious drug felony, Possession With the Intent to Distribute Cocaine Base in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), for which he served a term of imprisonment of more than 12 months and for which his release from such term of imprisonment was within 15 years of the commencement of the offenses charged in Count 1.

All pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(A).

A TRUE BILL.

s/ Grand Jury Foreperson
GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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